

## 68820 to 68825—Continued.

- 68809.** No. 6450-g. Harbin. Beans buff brown, a mixed collection culled out of the many samples of commercial soy beans submitted to the grading board of the Chinese Eastern Railway, season of 1925.
- 68810.** No. 6450-h. Harbin. Beans long, green, a mixed collection culled out of the many samples of commercial soy beans submitted to the grading board of the Chinese Eastern Railway, season of 1925.
- 68811.** No. 6450-i. Harbin. Beans brown, a mixed collection culled out of the many samples of commercial soy beans submitted to the grading board of the Chinese Eastern Railway, season of 1925.
- 68812.** No. 6450-j. Harbin. Beans buff, a mixed collection culled out of the many samples of commercial soy beans submitted to the grading board of the Chinese Eastern Railway, season of 1925.
- 68813.** No. 6450-k. Harbin. Beans dull greenish, a mixed collection culled out of the many samples of commercial soy beans submitted to the grading board of the Chinese Eastern Railway, season of 1925.
- 68814.** No. 6450-l. Harbin. Beans long, black, a mixed collection culled out of the many samples of commercial soy beans submitted to the grading board of the Chinese Eastern Railway, season of 1925.
- 68815.** No. 6450-m. Harbin. Beans reddish brown, a mixed collection culled out of the many samples of commercial soy beans submitted to the grading board of the Chinese Eastern Railway, season of 1925.
- 68816.** No. 6450-n. Harbin. Beans light greenish yellow, a mixed collection culled out of the many samples of commercial soy beans submitted to the grading board of the Chinese Eastern Railway, season of 1925.
- 68817 and 68818.** *LONICERA CAERULEA* EDULIS (Turcz.) Regel. Caprifoliaceae. Honeysuckle.
- 68817.** No. 5983. Kaolingtzu. June 22, 1926. A bush 10 to 12 feet in height, producing oblong fruits, one-half to three-fourths of an inch in length and about one-fourth of an inch in diameter, which are very dark purple, almost black with plenty of bloom. The fruits are not very good when fresh, but are extensively used in the vicinity of Vladivostok for making jam.
- 68818.** No. 6143. Hingan. July 8, 1926. Found in peaty soil where the climate, though now dry, is at seasons apparently very wet.
- 68819.** *PRUNUS SIBIRICA* L. Amygdalaceae. Siberian apricot.
- No. 6315. From the White River Valley, near Bariam. July 29, 1926. *Shan hsing* (wild mountain apricot). The plants are rarely more than 3 feet in height and are frequently heavily fruited. The fruits vary greatly in size and shape, the largest found being three-fourths of an inch in diameter. They range from pale yellowish green to golden and very often to almost red.

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- 68820.** *PRUNUS PADUS* L. Amygdalaceae. European bird cherry.
- No. 6305. Bariam. July 19, 1926.
- 68821.** *RIBES DIACANTHA* Pall. Grossulariaceae. Red currant.
- No. 6312. Near Bariam. July 21, 1926. The fruit is bright red and of very good quality.
- 68822.** *ROSA* sp. Rosaceae. Rose.
- No. 6326. From the White River Valley, near Bariam. July 24, 1926. Very spiny plants, with the hips pale pink to almost red.
- 68823.** *RUBUS IDAEUS STRIGOSUS* (Michx.) Maxim. Rosaceae. Raspberry.
- No. 6322. From the White River Valley, near Bariam. July 23, 1926. A pale-pink fruited raspberry of good size, which caps easily.
- 68824.** *RUBUS SAXATILIS* L. Rosaceae. Dewberry.
- No. 6323. From the White River Valley, near Bariam. July 24, 1926. A dewberry producing large bright-red fruits of good quality.
- 68825.** *VIOLA TENUICORNIS* W. Becker. Violaceae. Violet.
- No. 5987. Kaolingtzu. June 22, 1926. The flowers of this plant are rather light purple or violet, and are of fairly good size for a wild variety.
- 68826 to 68828.** *FRAGARIA* sp. Rosaceae. Strawberry.
- From St. Jean le Blanc, par Orleans, France. Plants presented by Edmond Versin. Received March 4, 1926. Numbered September, 1926.
- Locally developed varieties.
- 68826.** *FRAGARIA* sp. *Géante Rouge*.
- 68827.** *FRAGARIA* sp. *L'Indispensable*.
- 68828.** *FRAGARIA* sp. *Nomblot Bruneau*.
- 68829 to 68835.**
- From Sao Paulo, Brazil. Seeds presented by Dr. Henrique Löbbe, Eng. Agronomo, Director do Campo de Sementes de Sao Simao, through A. J. Pleters, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received September 27, 1926.
- 68829 to 68831.** *ARACHIS* spp. Fabaceae. Peanut.
- 68829.** *ARACHIS HYPOGAEA* L.
- A small-podded form from southern Brazil.
- 68830 and 68831.** *ARACHIS NAMBYQUARAE* Hoehne.
- A Brazilian relative of the peanut, which, according to Hoehne (Historia Natural Botanica, Matto Grosso, Brazil, Part XII); is a much-branched, prostrate, or ascending plant. The pod is 2 to 3 inches long, with usually two seeds which are edible and very oily.
- For previous introduction see No. 65296.